

**Table 2.a Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population under age 65: Percent by type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, 2006**

| Population characteristics                   | Total population<br>(in thousands) | Private              | Public only | Uninsured |
|--|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|
|  |                                    | Percent distribution |             |           |
| Total <sup>a</sup>                           | 261,287                            | 69.2                 | 16.5        | 14.3      |
| <b>Employment status<sup>b</sup></b>         |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Employed                                     | 142,297                            | 79.1                 | 5.2         | 15.7      |
| Not employed                                 | 54,474                             | 53.8                 | 26.0        | 20.2      |
| <b>Sex</b>                                   |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Male   | 130,629                            | 68.7                 | 14.9        | 16.4      |
| Female                                       | 130,657                            | 69.6                 | 18.1        | 12.2      |
| <b>Race / ethnicity</b>                      |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Total Hispanic or Latino                     | 42,584                             | 43.5                 | 27.9        | 28.6      |
| Total black, single race                     | 33,070                             | 56.2                 | 29.3        | 14.5      |
| Total white, single race                     | 166,561                            | 78.2                 | 11.0        | 10.8      |
| Total Asian/Pacific Islander,<br>single race | 12,857                             | 75.8                 | 11.8        | 12.4      |
| Total other races/multiple<br>races          | 6,214                              | 57.2                 | 28.1        | 14.7      |
| <b>Race / ethnicity and Sex</b>              |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Hispanic or Latino Male                      | 22,155                             | 43.0                 | 24.7        | 32.3      |
| Black Male, single race                      | 15,644                             | 55.1                 | 27.3        | 17.6      |
| White Male, single race                      | 83,816                             | 77.9                 | 9.9         | 12.2      |
| Asian/Pacific Islander male,<br>single race  | 6,158                              | 76.2                 | 11.0        | 12.8      |
| Other races/multiple race male               | 2,856                              | 56.9                 | 25.6        | 17.5      |
| Hispanic or Latino Female                    | 20,429                             | 44.0                 | 31.4        | 24.6      |

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|   |                                    | Percent distribution |             |           |
| Black Female, single race                     | 17,426                             | 57.3                 | 31.0        | 11.7      |
| White Female, single race                     | 82,745                             | 78.6                 | 12.1        | 9.3       |
| Asian/Pacific Islander female,<br>single race | 6,699                              | 75.5                 | 12.4        | 12.1      |
| Other races/multiple race<br>female           | 3,358                              | 57.5                 | 30.2        | 12.3      |
| <b>Marital status<sup>b</sup></b>             |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Married                                       | 101,896                            | 80.8                 | 6.4         | 12.8      |
| Widowed                                       | 3,190                              | 62.3                 | 20.6        | 17.0      |
| Divorced                                      | 22,670                             | 65.4                 | 13.3        | 21.3      |
| Separated                                     | 3,698                              | 51.0                 | 23.7        | 25.3      |
| Never married                                 | 65,397                             | 62.4                 | 16.2        | 21.4      |
| <b>Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)</b>    |                                    |                      |             |           |
| MSA   | 220,008                            | 69.8                 | 16.1        | 14.1      |
| non-MSA                                       | 41,279                             | 65.6                 | 18.9        | 15.5      |
| <b>Census region</b>                          |                                    |                      |             |           |
| Northeast                                     | 47,022                             | 73.8                 | 15.5        | 10.7      |
| Midwest                                       | 57,591                             | 76.0                 | 13.5        | 10.4      |
| South   | 94,881                             | 65.3                 | 17.4        | 17.4      |
| West  | 61,793                             | 65.3                 | 18.8        | 16.0      |

<sup>a</sup> Includes persons with unknown employment status and marital status.

<sup>b</sup> For individuals age 16 and over.

**Note:** Percents may not add to 100 because of rounding.

**Source:** Center for Financing, Access, and Cost Trends, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: Medical Expenditure Panel Survey Household Component, 2006.

**Table B. Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population under age 65: Standard errors by type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, 2006**  
**Corresponds to Table 2.a**

| Population characteristics                 | Private        | Public only | Uninsured |
|--|----------------|-------------|-----------|
|  | Standard error |             |           |
| Total <sup>a</sup>                         | 0.65           | 0.47        | 0.39      |
| <b>Employment status<sup>b</sup></b>       |                |             |           |
| Employed                                   | 0.51           | 0.27        | 0.48      |
| Not employed                               | 0.97           | 0.81        | 0.65      |
| <b>Sex</b>                                 |                |             |           |
| Male                                       | 0.72           | 0.49        | 0.48      |
| Female                                     | 0.68           | 0.54        | 0.40      |
| <b>Race / ethnicity</b>                    |                |             |           |
| Total Hispanic or Latino                   | 1.27           | 1.04        | 0.90      |
| Total black, single race                   | 1.09           | 1.07        | 0.69      |
| Total white, single race                   | 0.72           | 0.51        | 0.44      |
| Total asian/pacific islander, single race  | 2.79           | 1.46        | 2.02      |
| Total other races/multiple races           | 2.86           | 2.46        | 1.70      |
| <b>Race / ethnicity and Sex</b>            |                |             |           |
| Hispanic or Latino male                    | 1.35           | 1.05        | 1.14      |
| Black Male, single race                    | 1.35           | 1.20        | 1.05      |
| White Male, single race                    | 0.79           | 0.54        | 0.57      |
| Asian / Pacific Islander male, single race | 2.84           | 1.63        | 1.98      |
| Other races / multiple race male           | 3.47           | 2.76        | 2.54      |
| Hispanic or Latino female                  | 1.49           | 1.32        | 1.04      |

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|   | <i>Standard error</i> |                    |                  |
| <i>Black Female, single race</i>                    | 1.39                  | 1.30               | 0.76             |
| <i>White Female, single race</i>                    | 0.78                  | 0.59               | 0.46             |
| <i>Asian / Pacific Islander female, single race</i> | 3.14                  | 1.69               | 2.49             |
| <i>Other races / multiple race female</i>           | 3.33                  | 3.16               | 1.99             |
| <b><i>Marital status<sup>b</sup></i></b>            |                       |                    |                  |
| <i>Married</i>                                      | 0.59                  | 0.36               | 0.52             |
| <i>Widowed</i>                                      | 2.85                  | 2.41               | 2.19             |
| <i>Divorced</i>                                     | 1.24                  | 0.75               | 1.13             |
| <i>Separated</i>                                    | 2.76                  | 2.54               | 2.27             |
| <i>Never married</i>                                | 0.95                  | 0.60               | 0.76             |
| <b><i>Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)</i></b>   |                       |                    |                  |
| <i>MSA</i>  | 0.73                  | 0.50               | 0.43             |
| <i>Non-MSA</i>                                      | 1.69                  | 1.43               | 1.01             |
| <b><i>Census region</i></b>                         |                       |                    |                  |
| <i>Northeast</i>                                    | 1.46                  | 1.45               | 0.80             |
| <i>Midwest</i>                                      | 1.30                  | 0.99               | 0.76             |
| <i>South</i>  | 1.05                  | 0.62               | 0.66             |
| <i>West</i>   | 1.35                  | 0.98               | 0.79             |

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